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**FACULTY POSITION  
SYSTEMS MICROBIOLOGIST**

The University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry and the Department of Microbiology and Immunology are expanding their existing scientific and research program in microbiology. The Department wishes to recruit a tenure-track Systems Microbiologist at the ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE, or FULL PROFESSOR level. Preference will be given to candidates working in the field of bacteriology. Commensurate with proposed rank, candidates will be expected to develop, or to already have, an independent research program that will complement existing programs. The successful candidate will be joining a highly interactive faculty (website: <http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/smd/mbi/>) housed in a new research building with state-of-the-art core facilities (website: <http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/research/core-facilities.cfm>), and will participate in the University's new program in Genomics and Systems Biology (website: <http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/strategic-plan-in-action/isp/genomics.cfm>). The University is ranked among the nation's top 10 nonprofit workplaces for life scientists, according to *The Scientist* magazine's annual assessment of "Best Places to Work" (website: <http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/strategic-plan-in-action/strategic-plan-news/10-best.cfm>). An attractive salary, competitive startup package, and new laboratory space adjacent to the other microbiologists in the Department are available. Interested individuals should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, a statement of research interests and goals, and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references. These materials should be sent to:

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**RESEARCH FACULTY POSITION**

The University of Rochester  
School of Medicine and Dentistry  
Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism

The Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism at the University of Rochester School of Medicine is seeking new Research Faculty members of all ranks. Candidates must have an M.D. or Ph.D. and should be performing endocrine-related basic or translational research. The Division is under new leadership and is seeking to rapidly expand its academic programs. Thus, the University of Rochester offers an exciting opportunity for research scientists interested in endocrinology. Please electronically transmit curriculum vitae and cover letter to: **Stephen Hammes, Chief, Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism, University of Rochester School of Medicine, e-mail: [stephen\\_hammes@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:stephen_hammes@urmc.rochester.edu).**

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**POSTDOCTORAL POSITION.** Open immediately in the Microbiology and Cell Science Department, University of Florida, for a qualified *U.S. citizen or permanent resident* with a demonstrated interest in prokaryotic molecular genetics and regulation. The position is funded by an NIH Recovery Act Supplement for "Mechanism of CsrA-Mediated Global Control," to investigate a global regulatory system involving an RNA binding protein (CsrA) and noncoding regulatory RNAs. Applicants should electronically submit their curriculum vitae and three references to: **Tony Romeo, Ph.D., e-mail: [tromeo@ufl.edu](mailto:tromeo@ufl.edu).**

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**CHEMICAL BIOLOGY**

The College of Charleston Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, located in historic downtown Charleston, South Carolina, invites applications for a tenure-track position as an ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in chemical biology to begin August 2010. Applicants must possess a terminal degree. Postdoctoral experience is highly desired. Teaching responsibilities will include both lecture and laboratory. The successful candidate must initiate and sustain a research program that includes undergraduates. Review of applications will begin October 1, 2009, and continue until the position is filled. For more information visit website: <http://www.cofc.edu/~chem>. Questions may be directed to e-mail: [heldrichr@cofc.edu](mailto:heldrichr@cofc.edu); telephone: 843-953-5515.

**ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIP  
IN NEUROPHYSICS OR BIOPHYSICS  
Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas**

The Department of Physics and Astronomy at Trinity University invites applications for the Williams Endowed Professorship in Neurophysics or Biophysics, to begin in August 2010. This position, along with three recently filled positions (two senior and one junior), will enrich our rapidly growing undergraduate major in neuroscience at Trinity, which was established with support from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (website: [http://www.trinity.edu/org/hhmi/Curriculum\\_Development/neuroscience\\_major.html](http://www.trinity.edu/org/hhmi/Curriculum_Development/neuroscience_major.html)). The Neuroscience Program is interdepartmental with six faculty from biology, psychology, and chemistry, and with this position will now include physics. It is a vibrant Program with research interests ranging from behavioral psychology to reproductive behavior to the neurochemistry of neurodegenerative disease. Requirements include a Ph.D. in physics or neuroscience with a strong physics component, a current tenured position at the rank of Associate Professor or higher, and a distinguished record of teaching and research. Preference will be given to candidates who can enhance connections with the Psychology and/or Biology Departments and can contribute to a degree program in neuroscience, and who will establish a research program that includes participation by students. Candidates in experimental, theoretical, or computational research are all encouraged to apply. Please submit curriculum vitae and detailed statements of experience and interests in teaching and research to: **Chair of the Search Committee, Endowed Professorship in Neurophysics or Biophysics, Department of Physics and Astronomy, Trinity University, One Trinity Place, San Antonio, TX 78212.** Applicants must also arrange for three letters of reference to be sent to the Search Committee. Review of complete application files, with letters, will begin on December 1, 2009. The Department of Physics and Astronomy (website: <http://www.trinity.edu/physics>) has six faculty and attracts outstanding students. Active research areas include astrophysics/cosmology, atmospheric physics, dynamics and pattern formation in soft matter and biological systems, nanomaterials/plasmonics, and gravitational wave detection. *Trinity University is an Equal Opportunity Employer. We strongly encourage applications from qualified women and minority candidates.*

The Department of Pathology and Cell Biology at Columbia University seeks highly qualified individuals for faculty positions in surgical pathology, anatomic pathology, and research. Appointments can be at the ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE, PROFESSOR, or ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST level depending on experience and qualifications. Clinical positions require Board certification and a license in New York State prior to the start of service. Research positions require record of publication in leading journals and a statement of research directions. To apply online go to website: <https://academicjobs.columbia.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=51975>.

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